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FM AMEMBASSY TAIPEI

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 5281

INFO AMCONSUL HONG KONG

UNCLAS TAIPEI 2885

DEPARTMENT PASS EXIM

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EFIN, TW

SUBJECT: FCIA CLAIM NO. M-644-5-PANTEX

REF : STATE 119000

1. ON MAY 22, RAND AND EMBASSY OFFICER MET WITH PANTEX PEOPLE INCLUDING P. C. (JOHNSON) SIAO, HIS SON T. M. (JAMES) ANDY NG AND OTHERS AT COMPANY OFFICE AT 70 HSI NING NORTH ROAD, TAIPEI.

2. PANTEX STATED THAT IT HAD INSTALLED TWISTING MACHINES, THAT 7 OF THE 8 HAVE BEEN IN OPERATION FOR SIX MONTHS "ON AND OFF", AND THAT IT WROTE LEESONA ON MAY 7 REQUESTING ADJUSTMENTS SO AS TO INCREASE SPEED OF MACHINES, DELIVERY OF RIGHT TYPE SPARE PARTS CLAIMED TO HAVE BEEN AGREED UPON, CORRECTION OF OILING DEVICES, AND CORRECTION OF A NUMBER OF OTHER COMPLAINTS. PANTEX STATED THAT NO RESPONSE HAD BEEN RECEIVED FROM LEESONA.

3. PANTEX GAVE DEPRESSED CONDITION OF TEXTILE INDUSTRY AS ONE REASON FOR DEFAULT BUT ULTIMATELY STATED NO PAYMENT WOULD BE MADE UNLESS ITS COMPLAINTS WERE SATISFIED. PANTEX ALSO SUGGESTED THAT LEESONA PASS TITLE TO IT SO THAT PANTEX COULD ARRANGE A  
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LOAN BY WAY OF CHATTEL MORTGAGE ON THE MACHINES IN ORDER TO BEGIN TO SERVICE ITS DEBTS.

4. RAND CONCLUDED THAT PANTEX NOT OFFERING REASONABLE ACCOMODATION, AND THUS ADVISED PANTEX THAT LEESONA MAY SEEK REPOSSESSION UNDER ITS CONDITIONAL BILL OF SALE WHICH RAND UNDERSTANDS FROM PANTEX IS THE NATURE OF THE PANTEX POSSESSION OF THE MACHINES.

5. UNLESS LEESONA CONSIDERS THE REQUESTS CONTAINED IN THE PANTEX LETTER OF MAY 7 TO BE REASONABLE, RAND RECOMMENDS THAT ALL REMEDIES AVAILABLE AT LAW BE PURSUED.

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